

## RES 12-072

Wilmington, Delaware  
October 18, 2012

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Sponsor:

Council  
Member  
Walsh

**WHEREAS**, by its Ordinance No. 97-051, amending Section 2-363 of the City Code, the Council deemed it necessary and proper to specify the requirements for review and approval of City-sponsored grant applications and proposals, including a requirement for Council approval by resolution, and including authorization for expedited grant applications in any situation in which a city office or department is required to file an application or proposal for grant funds prior to the next regular meeting of Council, in which case the application may be submitted to Council for approval and ratification subsequent to its submission to the issuing agency; and

**WHEREAS**, the City, through the Office of Emergency Management, has sought to obtain sub-grant funding from the Delaware Emergency Management Agency ("DEMA") for State funds in the amount of up to \$273,333.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the said sub-grant will provide funding for the City of Wilmington to use for the Emergency Operations Center at 22 S. Heald Street as well as day to day emergency management operations; and

**WHEREAS**, the said sub-grant requires a local match of 50 percent of funds which will come from the local Emergency Management and City Department general funds; an

**WHEREAS**, for timing purposes, the application for said grant had to be submitted in advance of City Council approval by resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the Wilmington Office of Emergency Management to accept the sub-grant from DEMA for up to \$273,333.00 for the aforesaid purposes.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON** that the Wilmington Office of Emergency Management is hereby authorized to accept funding in a sub-grant from DEMA in the amount of two hundred seventy three thousand, three hundred and thirty-three dollars (\$273,333.00) and to provide the required local match of fifty percent which will come from the local Emergency Management and City Department general funds.

**FURTHER RESOLVED** that Director of the Office of Emergency Management, George Giles, or his designee, shall be authorized to take all necessary actions to complete the acceptance of the sub-grant, including all undertakings and assurances taken heretofore, and, if and when the sub-grant is forthcoming, to administer the sub-grant and the sub-grant program for the City of Wilmington.

Passed by City Council,  
October 18, 2012

Attest: Maribel Seijo  
City Clerk

Approved as to form this 10  
day of October, 2012

[Signature]  
Assistant City Solicitor

**SYNOPSIS:** This Resolution approves the Office of Emergency Management's acceptance of a DEMA sub-grant in the amount of two hundred seventy three thousand, three hundred and thirty-three dollars (\$273,333.00) and to provide the required local match of fifty percent, which will come from the local Emergency Management and City Department general funds.